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EO 11652: NA

TAGS: GATT, ETRD, EEC

SUBJ: GATT COUNCIL DISCUSSION DISC AND RELATED TAX PRACTICES

REF: STATE 45380

IN MARCH 2 GATT COUNCIL, EC, CANADA, JAPAN SAID DISC PANEL
REPORT CONFIRMS THAT DISC IS ILLEGAL AND SHOULD BE ELIMINATED
EXPEDITIOUSLY. U.S. SAID APPROPRIATE STEP FOR TODAY'S
CONCIL WOULD BE TO ADOPT REPORTS OF ALL FOUR PANELS.
FRANCE, BELGIUM, NETHERLANDS HAD RESERVATIONS ON
PANEL REPORTS ON THEIR PRACTICES AND REFUSED TO AGREE.
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U.S. EXPRESSED SERIOUS CONCERN AT THEIR RE-OPENING UNANIMOUS
FINDINGS IMPARTIAL, EXPERT PANELS. U.S. SUCCESSFULLY
RESISTED ATTEMPT BY EC AND FRANCE, BELGIUM, AND
NETHERLANDS TO SEPARATE COUNCIL CONSIDRATION OF THE
FOUR PANEL REPORTS, AND ENTIRE ITEM PUT OVER TO NEXT
GATT COUNCIL. WILL REPORT FURTHER. CATTO

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Message Attributes

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